AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS:

1-2. (Cancelled).

3. (New) A method of assembling a shockproof spindle, comprising the steps of:

inserting a spindle into an elastomer, said spindle being formed with a first chute and having a base fixed at a bottom end, and said elastomer having a compressible structure;

capping said spindle and said elastomer with a sleeve, said sleeve having a hollow and circular structure with a second chute formed on an inner surface of said sleeve;

pushing down said sleeve to press said elastomer towards said base with said spindle being inserted through said sleeve to expose said first chute;

disposing a ball in said first chute and releasing said sleeve to allow said elastomer to return to a normal state with said ball being retained within said first and second chutes; and

disposing a C-shaped plate between said elastomer and said base by inserting said spindle through a side opening of said C-shaped plate.

4. (New) The shockproof spindle assembled according to the method as claimed in claim 3.

5. (New) The shockproof spindle as claimed in claim 4, wherein said C-shaped plate has sufficient thickness to support said sleeve at a position to prevent said ball from being fall off said first and second chutes when said elastomer is compressed and said

sleeve is moved down.

6. (New) The shockproof spindle as claimed in claim 4, wherein said elastomer has a sufficient elastic force to support said sleeve so that said second chute of said sleeve is never lower than a lowest point of said first chute of said spindle.